

rule provides that the bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. The rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

The rule also provides for consideration of H.R. 1385, the “Thomasina E. Jordan Indian Tribes of Virginia Federal Recognition Act of 2009,” under a structured rule. The rule provides one hour of debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Natural Resources and waives all points of order against consideration of the bill except clauses 9 and 10 of rule XXI. The rule provides that the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Natural Resources, now printed in the bill, shall be considered as an original bill for the purpose of amendment and shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against the amendment in the nature of a substitute except for clause 10 of rule XXI. The rule makes in order only those amendments printed in the Rules Committee report. The rule provides that the amendments made in order may be offered only in the order printed in the report, may be offered only by a Member designated in this report, shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for the time specified in this report equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, shall not be subject to amendment, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole. The rule waives all points of order against the amendments printed in the report except for clauses 9 and 10 of rule XXI. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit H.R. 1385 with or without instructions. Testimony on H.R. 31 was heard from Chairman Rahall, Representatives McIntyre and Hastings of WA. Testimony on H.R. 1385 was heard from Chairman Rahall, Representatives Moran of VA, Hastings of WA and Goodlatte.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3, 2009

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies, to hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2010 for the Department of Education, 9:30 a.m., SD-124.

Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies, to hold hearings to examine proposed budget

estimates for fiscal year 2010 for the Department of the Interior, 9:45 a.m., SD-138.

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness and Management Support, to receive a closed briefing to examine electricity grid vulnerabilities to critical defense assets and missions, 10 a.m., SVC-217.

Subcommittee on Personnel, to hold hearings to examine the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2010 and the Future Years Defense Program for military family programs, policies, and initiatives, 2:30 p.m., SR-222.

Subcommittee on Strategic Forces, to hold hearings to examine the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2010 and the Future Years Defense Program for strategic forces programs, 2:30 p.m., SR-232A.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: to hold hearings to examine a fresh start for new starts, 2 p.m., SD-538.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: to hold hearings to examine General Motors and Chrysler dealership closures, focusing on dealers and consumers, 2:30 p.m., SD-106.

Committee on Foreign Relations: to meet in closed session to receive a briefing from national security briefers, 11 a.m., SVC-217.

Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Eric P. Schwartz, of New York, to be Assistant Secretary for Population, Refugees, and Migration, and Andrew J. Shapiro, of New York, to be Assistant Secretary for Political-Military Affairs, both of the Department of State, 2:30 p.m., SD-419.

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Martha N. Johnson, of Maryland, to be Administrator, General Services Administration, 10 a.m., SD-342.

Ad Hoc Subcommittee on State, Local, and Private Sector Preparedness and Integration, to hold hearings to examine pandemic flu, 2 p.m., SD-342.

Committee on the Judiciary: to hold hearings to examine The Uniting American Families Act, focusing on addressing inequalities in federal immigration law, 10 a.m., SD-226.

Special Committee on Aging: to hold hearings to examine the value of long-term care insurance, 2 p.m., SH-216.

House

Committee on Agriculture, Subcommittee on Department Operations, Oversight, Nutrition and Forestry, hearing to review the future of forestry in the United States, 1:30 p.m., 1300 Longworth.

Committee on Appropriations, Subcommittee on Defense, on Air Force Posture, 9 a.m., on Navy and Marine Corps Posture, 1:30 p.m., H-140 Capitol.

Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development, and Related Agencies, on the Secretary of Energy, 10 a.m., 2359 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies, on the Secretary of Education, 2 p.m., 2359 Rayburn.

Committee on Armed Services, Defense Acquisition Reform Panel, hearing on Coordinating Requirements, Budgets,